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IN RE APPLICATION OF :

GARRI K KASPAROV ET AL : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION

SERIAL NO: 09/ 786, 336 :

FILED: March 8, 2001 :

FOR: A METHOD FOR HOLDING :
LOTTERIES AND A SYSTEM FOR
REALISING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Page 1, before line 1, delete the title of the invention in its entirety, and insert therefor:

--METHOD FOR PLAYING A LOTTERY GAME AND SYSTEM FOR REALISING THE
SAME--

IN THE CLAIMS

--6. (Amended) The method for holding lotteries as claimed in claim 2,

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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